

BAXTER SPRINGS NEWS.

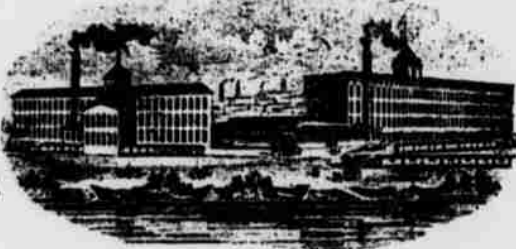
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HENDERSON'S ENORMOUS SHOE PLANT
DIXON, ILL.

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OF ALL
KINDS OF
FOOT WEAR.



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PAIRS DAILY.

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These shoes are sold by J. C. HASKETT.
Every pair warranted.

The Topeka Daily State Journal will cover fully and accurately the coming session of the Kansas legislature. It will be mailed to any address in Kansas, or elsewhere, sixty calendar days for sixty cents, one hundred days for \$1.

When you want a physis that is mild and gentle, easy to take and pleasant in effect use Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. Price 25 cents. Samples free. Every bottle guaranteed. For sale by A. R. Kane.

You can get meal or flour for corn at the Baxter Flouring Mills.

Fatal delays are caused by experimenting with cough and cold cures. Foley's Honey and Tar will prevent a cold from resulting in pneumonia. A. R. Kane.

If you wish to keep informed of the doings of the Kansas legislature, subscribe for the Topeka Daily State Journal. It will be mailed to any address in Kansas, or elsewhere, sixty calendar days for sixty cents, one hundred days for \$1.

Piles of People
testify to the merit of Banner Salve in curing piles. It is guaranteed. A. R. Kane.

A car load of Wallpaper
—latest styles—at 3c per roll, at Polster's.

Millions of people are familiar with DeWitt's Little Early Risers and those who use them find them to be famous little liver pills. Never gripe. Morrow & Co.

PUBLIC SALE.

On Tuesday, Feb. 5, W. T. Lane will offer for sale at his farm one mile west and three miles north of Baxter Springs, 5 horses; 2 mules; 16 cattle; 7 hogs; a lot of farming implements; 200 bushels seed oats; 100 bushels corn in crib; 20 tons cane hay in stack; 5 tons prairie hay in stack; 50 bushels kafir corn on 12 months' time. W. T. Hartley auctioneer, M. Doty, clerk.

On Thursday, February 7, at her place at Rock ford on Neosho river on Territory line, five miles southwest of Melrose, Mrs. Della Webb will offer for sale at public auction 2 horses, 1 mule, 10 cattle, 23 hogs, a lot of farm implements, 400 bushels of corn in crib, 12 tons of hay in stack, etc. W. T. Hartley will be the auctioneer. Mrs. Webb is the lady whose husband was drowned in Neosho river a few weeks ago and she makes this sale because she is compelled to. We hope there will be a large attendance and that the property will bring every cent it is worth.

Like bad dollars, all counterfeit is of DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve are worthless. The original quickly cures piles, sores and all skin diseases. Morrow & Co.

Highest cash prices paid for chickens at Dent's.

You can help anyone whom you find suffering from inflamed throat; laryngeal trouble, bronchitis, coughs, colds, etc., by advising the use of Ballard's Horehound Syrup; the great remedy for coughs and colds. Price, 25 and 50 cents. A. R. Kane.

3c a roll for the newest designs in Wallpaper at Polster's.

We now have on hand choice Red Top Seed, any quantity you want; also Timothy, Blue Grass, Cane and Kafir corn. Come and get prices. J. A. ERIKSEN.

PLYMOUTH ROCKS FOR SALE.
I have some thoroughbred Plymouth Rock cockerels and hens for sale. J. A. ELLIS.

Charley Nash, the Baxter Dairyman, furnishes the very best of Milk, Butter and Cream.

"With one bottle Beggs' Cherry Cough Syrup my cough and soreness entirely disappeared." Ernest Whipple, Davinport, Ia. Guaranteed to cure all throat and lung troubles. has never failed; try it. DeWitt & Thompson.

The residence of Chas. Collins in Hutchinson was burned a few days ago, together with the contents. Mr. Collins is father of C. E. Collins of this city.

Don't risk the little one's life; croup is a dangerous disease Mrs. H. Gregg, Dundee, Kan., says: "My little daughter had been troubled with croup since she was three months old; Beggs' Cherry Cough Syrup cured her." Children like it. Guaranteed. DeWitt & Thompson.

On the eleventh of next March, the star mail route between this city and Baxter Springs will run only as far as Melrose. The mail will leave here at 10 a. m., and arrive at Melrose at 12:30 p. m.; will leave there at 1:30 p. m., and arrive here at 4 o'clock. Those who live along the road can have their mail delivered to them by the carrier by placing a regulation box out in front of their house; these boxes must be made of metal, and with a drop lid; they should be 16 inches long, 4 1/2 inches deep and the same same width; they must be placed out from the fence so the carrier can drive up and deposit the mail without alighting from his hack—Chetapa Advance.

For all sores, wounds, burns and skin diseases Beggs' German Salve, the famous pile cure. C. E. Lidel, Nevada, Mo., says: "It gave me immediate relief from piles and effected a permanent cure." Guaranteed Remedy, endorsed by physicians. DeWitt & Thompson.

IN NEW QUARTERS.
The bank moved this week to its new quarters, corner of Military and Neosho streets, and things are now being shaped up. The new quarters will be very comfortable and convenient. The room is large and well lighted and it will prove a real pleasure to do business there.

Peoria has a few cases of small-pox. Try a few quarts of the Baxter Dairy Milk.

Mr. Bill's new residence is nearing completion.

The implement business is beginning to liven up.

John M. Cooper had business in Joplin Wednesday.

Tom Embury is quite ill at his home four miles west of town.

Howard Carney visited his brother, Arthur, in Joplin Wednesday.

S. T. Coe went to Columbus Thursday on a business mission.

F. S. Hall, cashier of the Traders Bank, spent Sunday with his folks in Fulton.

T. R. Faulkner and wife went to the Cherokee nation this week to visit relatives.

Smallpox has broken out among the Quapaw Indians on the east side of Spring river.

Mrs. Nash, at the Baxter Dairy Farm, makes choice butter. You can get it fresh from the churn.

D. McGinnis was in town Thursday from Quapaw to get medical assistance for his wife who is ill.

BORN—To Mr. and Mrs. Robert Johnson in the Quapaw reserve on Thursday, Jan. 31, 1901, a girl baby.

Earl Dent is now traveling for Riley, Wilson & Co., of Kansas City and making considerable money.

LOST—In Baxter, a brown pocket-book, imitation of morocco, containing small change. Leave at this office.

C. J. Stephens, in Lowell township, has taken up a sorrel, bald faced mare; mane is worn by collar; left hind foot white.

Julius Bischofberger is getting the material on the ground for his new brick barn. The building will greatly add to the appearance of things in that part of town.

J. A. Eriksen, the new hardware man, left Wednesday morning for Belton, Mo., on a business mission. He will perhaps visit other Missouri towns before returning home.

Mrs. H. E. Humphrey, who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Morris Doty, and other relatives in this city for some time, left last week for her home in Chicago.

Shelby Johnson, Ed. Johnson Chas. Johnson and Leonard Hodgkins have returned from their hunt in the territory. They got four deer and a lot of small game, and had a fine time.

There is always danger in using counterfeit of DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. The original is a safe and certain cure for sores and all skin diseases. Morrow & Co.

Farmers have certainly had ideal weather this season to get their ploughing done. Never before in the history of man has there been so delightful weather in this section for the time of year.

MARRIED—In this city on Monday evening, Jan. 28, 1901, at the home of the groom's mother, Mrs. Meek, in the north part of town, by Justice G. L. Kennedy, Mr. Samuel Kelley to Miss Jessie Martin, both of Joplin.

Frank N. Moore, the gentleman to whom the Joplin council granted a franchise for another street railway system, has accepted the terms of the franchise and gave the bond required for commencement of work. This line will run from Joplin to Cherokee via Galena, Baxter, Columbus and Seaman.

In going to Kansas, take the Missouri Pacific at Joplin. You can go to Joplin on the Memphis at 5:25 p. m. Missouri Pacific train leaves Joplin at 7 p. m., arriving in Kansas City at 1:30 a. m., so you can go to bed and get a good rest before it is time to do business. For further information address C. H. Rohrer, agent Missouri Pacific, Joplin, Mo.

Kansas City is rapidly acquiring a reputation for being a very dirty place. A few years ago it looked clean and was kept so but now it is the reverse. The streets are filthy and trash is on every hand. Where the fault lies we know not, but we understand the street cleaning department has not force enough to do the work.

We saw in Joplin the other night cards stuck up all over town which read: "For Her Sake." We don't know just what was done for her sake, but it reminded us of a puzzle we saw a long time ago. The puzzle was: "He kept the date, at number fifty-eight; and now he keeps silent and suffers for her sake." It was, as we remember it, a war puzzle.

The officials of Springvalley township have graded and graveled a portion of the Chetopa road—that part along the north side of the Lynch's farm. That was at one time the worst piece of road in the township, but under the supervision of competent officials it has been put in excellent condition. We hope the Springvalley officials will find it convenient to grade and gravel all that part of the road which is in their bailiwick.

Kansas City people are robbed by the corporations. Read this: While talking with a gentleman in Kansas City the other day he told us that business phones there cost \$6 per month and residence phones \$5 per month. The service is very poor, too. He told us of a gentleman whose family was absent during the month of December and during that time no gas was used in his house at all. However, he received notice Jan. 1st to call at the office of the gas company and settle for gas used during December. He called at the office of the company and explained that he had used no gas during the month; that his family had been away and that he had boarded downtown. The gas official listened attentively and when the gentleman had concluded, said: "Well, shall we shut off the gas?" Of course, he didn't want the gas shut off, so he submitted to the robbery. There is only one remedy for this sort of business. Kansas City, as well as every other city, should own all public utilities. Five years ago Kansas City bought the water works of that place, paying therefor \$3,000,000. Bonds were issued in payment, the bonds to run 21 years. Immediately upon taking charge of the plant the city began making improvements and extending the service. During the five years mentioned the system has been made well nigh perfect. Rates have been reduced one-half, and about \$1,200,000 is now in the sinking fund to apply on the bonds. In another five years, or eight at the farthest, Kansas City will have her water works paid for and water will be cheaper. What is true of the water works could also be true of the telephone and gas business. What is true of Kansas City is also true of any other city, large or small. This thing of giving franchises to private individuals or corporations for light, gas, water and other public necessities is wrong and the News is against it. Our objections do not apply to railroads, however. The reader may wonder why somebody does not put in another telephone system in Kansas City. A few months ago another company tried to get a telephone franchise there, offering to cut rates in two. But the astute council of Kansas City would not grant the franchise. Why? Well, we suppose the Bell company, which is robbing the people there, "saw" the council.

The cow thieves are now free, but not through justice. They are without question a dishonor to the town or country in which they live. We feel that if they each graced a cell of the Kansas penitentiary they would be where they ought to be. We shall not attempt to tell what ought to become of the rest of the gang. They have shown their colors throughout. What principle has a man who will deliberately steal another's property and then falsely implicate the one whose property he took? And after, by their lies, they were acquitted, they are sneaking about the country telling how they are going to get even with John Snyder; seeking revenge because he appeared against them in court. They thought as Snyder had been good to them, and as it was in the family, he would say nothing about it. All their urging him to leave the state and not appear at the trial was of no avail. So then all they could do was to get some one to swear to their well planned lies. Now they want to still do harm, if possible, to Mr. Snyder. They are a set of sneaking liars and Mr. Snyder is a well respected citizen, having the good will of all his neighbors. His many friends here and in surrounding neighborhoods have unwavering confidence in his strict honesty and fully believe him innocent of all the charges made against him by the cow thieves and their relatives and friends. May success attend him and may the time soon come when the punishment so justly deserved by the thieves be inflicted upon them. These are the sentiments of Mr. Snyder's

MARY FRIENDS.
A bill has been introduced in the lower house of congress by Representative Overstreet which is designed to make the present gold standard unassailable by providing that all gold and silver coins of the United States, except subsidiary coins, shall be exchangeable at par at the Treasury of the United States at the demand of the holder. The argument advanced by the supporters of the bill is that this will insure the maintenance of the gold standard because the holder of any other form of money can exchange it at his option for gold; that it will make no discrimination against silver, because it can be obtained upon demand, in exchange for gold or paper; that it will not add any to the burden of the Treasury beyond that imposed by its present obligations, because, all forms of money being treated alike, there will be no discrimination in the presentation of money for redemption; that it will prevent any discrimination in the payment of money into the treasury, and therefore will prevent the drying up of the stream of gold in times of panic which flow between the banks, the clearing houses, and the sub-treasuries in times of business activity.

Children never cry very loud for it, but they do like Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin. Ask DeWitt & Thompson.

The New Century Calls

NEW PRICES IN ALL LINES OF IMPLEMENTS.

Inside of 10 days we expect our 1901 stock of Buggies and Implements.

Prices Will be Surprisingly Low.

Prices for 1901 will be as low as ever made in this market.

L. E. CROSS IMP. CO.
Baxter Springs, Kansas.

Leeman is the only man that has men tailors to make Ladies Tailor Made Suits. Guarantees a fit. Galena, Kansas.

Had to Conquer or Die.

"I was just about gone," writes Mrs. Rosa Richardson, of Laurel Springs, N. C. "I had consumption so bad that the best doctors said I could not live more than a month, but I began to use Dr. King's New Discovery and was wholly cured by seven bottles and am now stout and well." It's an unrivaled life-saver in consumption, pneumonia, la grippe and bronchitis; infallible for coughs, colds, asthma, hay fever, croup or whooping cough. Guaranteed bottles 50c and \$1. Trial bottles free at A. R. Kane's drug store.

Twenty acres with small house one and a half miles out. Part cash, balance to suit purchaser. F. R. MCGREGOR.

Ladies, if you want a Ladies Tailor Made Suit, made by men tailors, go to Leeman's Galena, Kansas. He can show you over 50 styles of suits and over 20 kinds of goods.

A Fireman's Close Call.

"I stuck to my engine, although every joint ached and every nerve was racked with pain," writes C. W. Bellamy, a locomotive fireman, of Burlington, Iowa. "I was weak and pale, without any appetite and all run down. As I was about to give up, I got a bottle of Electric Bitters and, after taking it, I felt as well as I ever did in my life." Weak, sickly, run down people always gain new life, strength and vigor from their use. Try them. Satisfaction guaranteed by A. R. Kane. Price 50c.

No fake salary offer, but big commission for men to sell poultry mixture in the country. Never mind stamp. Eureka Mfg. Co. Dept. E. East St. Louis, Ill.

QUIT!

Throwing away good money. Buy your groceries of us and get the best quality at the lowest prices. Try us once and see if you don't get more and better goods for the money than you ever got anywhere else.

J. W. McCAM ON.

STOP!

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NOTICE.
Notice is hereby given that I have made application to the probate court of Cherokee county, Kansas, for a druggist's permit to sell intoxicating liquors for medical, mechanical and scientific purposes, at my place of business on lot 6, in block 10, original plat, Baxter Springs, Kansas. Said application will be heard at the office of the probate judge in Columbus, Kansas, on Tuesday, Feb. 19, 1901, at 11 o'clock a. m.

J. G. POLSTER, Applicant.

Be in Style.

Don't laugh at fashion. Don't discourage ambition. Don't hinder progress. Try to be affable. Look on the bright side. Strive to be happy. Enjoy life.

Keep healthy, which you can do by using Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin according to directions. It is an absolute cure for constipation, indigestion, stomach troubles and sick headache. DeWitt & Thompson.

MODERN WOODMEN OF AMERICA.
Baxter Camp No. 87, meets on the second and fourth Mondays of each month. Visiting neighbors always welcome. T. C. Weaver, Clerk. A. G. Hanback, V. C.

W. L. Yancy, Paducah, Ky., writes: "I had a severe case of kidney disease and three of the best physicians in southern Kentucky treated me without success. I was induced to try Foley's Kidney Cure. The first bottle gave immediate relief and three bottles cured me permanently. I gladly recommend this wonderful remedy." A. R. Kane.

Forty acres one and three-fourths miles out. Small house and orchard. Cheap. F. R. MCGREGOR.

A powerful engine cannot be run with a weak boiler, and we can't keep up the strain of an active life with a weak stomach; neither can we stop the human machine to make repairs. If the stomach cannot digest enough food to keep the body strong, such a preparation as Kodol Dyspepsia Cure should be used. It digests what you eat and it simply can't help but do you good. Morrow & Co.

POLSTER has experienced paperhangers and sells the newest designs in Wallpaper at 3c a roll.

Should a Man be Vain?

Certainly he should. He should have ambition to look well and feel good, which he cannot do unless he digests his food. Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin aids digestion, clears the head, keeps the bowels regular and makes a man feel at peace with the whole world. Try it. DeWitt & Thompson.

WANTED—1000 gunny sacks. Call at this office.

Frequent Coughing
inflames the lungs. Foley's Honey and Tar stops the coughing and heals the lungs. The ordinary cough medicines which are simply expectorants, will not do this, as they keep the lungs irritated in throwing off the phlegm. A. R. Kane.

A bargain—3-room house; 1 lot; good cistern; first class location. F. R. MCGREGOR.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve
Has world-wide fame for marvelous cures. It surpasses any other salve, lotion, ointment or balm for cuts, corns, burns, boils, sores, swellings, ulcers, tetter, salt rheum, fever sores, chapped hands, skin eruptions; infallible for piles. Cure guaranteed. Only 25 cents at A. R. Kane's.

Four-room house and 8 lots; barn good cistern; good location. Cheap. F. R. MCGREGOR.

Working Overtime.
Eight hour laws are ignored by those tireless, little workers—Dr. King's New Life Pills. Millions are always at work, night and day, curing indigestion, biliousness, constipation, sick headache and all stomach, liver and bowel troubles. Easy pleasant, safe, sure. Only 25 cents at A. R. Kane's drug store.

Fresh Oysters served in any style and for sale at Mrs. Meyerding's.

To Stop a Cold.
After exposure or when you feel a cold coming on, take a dose of Foley's Honey and Tar. It never fails to stop a cold if taken in time. Take nothing else. A. R. Kane.

Cook's Grocery
is the place to buy your Staple and Fancy Groceries, FLOUR AND FEED.
Satisfaction guaranteed. Yours for business, COOK & RARDIN.

Holiday Goods!
Mandolins, Work Boxes, Guitars, Dressing Cases, Medallions, Toilet Cases, Vases, Fine Cigars, Fine Lamps, Jewelry.
J. G. POLSTER'S CORNER DRUG STORE.

FARMERS!

You can exchange corn for either flour or meal at the Baxter Flouring Mill. You can get good flour or meal, too.

A. R. Kane, the druggist, will refund you your money if you are not satisfied after using Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. They cure disorders of the stomach, biliousness, constipation and headache. Price 25 cents. Samples free.

Patronize home industry by using flour and meal made at the Baxter Flouring Mills.

G. A. Roberts of Lintner, Ill., suffered four years with a wad in his stomach and could not eat. He lost 65 pounds. Two bottles of Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin restored his appetite, cured his stomach trouble and today he is well and hearty and says he owes his health to Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin. DeWitt & Thompson.

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A Misunderstanding.
Misunderstood symptoms of disease lead doctors to treat something else when the kidneys are out of order. Foley's Kidney Cure will bring you health when other medicines have failed. Take no substitute. A. R. Kane.

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"I have always used Foley's Honey and Tar cough medicine, and think it is the best in the world," says Chas. Bender, a newsdealer of Erie, Pa. Nothing else as good. A. R. Kane.

Vacant lots for sale in different parts of the city. F. R. MCGREGOR.

We had a very satisfactory holiday trade. Keep a comin'. We have other things besides holiday goods.

DeWITT & THOMPSON.